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Corrigendum

Paragraphs 8 and 9

The paragraphs *should read*

8. The overall utilization factor for 2002 was 75 per cent. This figure is computed by totalling the data in the six columns for all bodies in the four duty stations and treating them as if they reflected a single body, as follows:

	Number of meetings								
Duty station	*A (planned)*	*B (added)*	*C (cancelled)*	*D (held)*	*E (reassigned)*	*F (minutes lost)*	*2000 UF*	*2001 UF*	*2002 UF*
New York	1 255	28	286	997	109	41 480	79	65	68
Geneva	499	11	19	491	0	8 265	87	84	87
Vienna	164	1	2	163	1	4 145	83	84	85
Nairobi	14	0	0	14	0	0	100	97	100
Total	**1 932**	**40**	**307**	**1 665**	**110**	**53 890**	**81**	**74**	**75**

9. The overall utilization factor for 2002, 75 per cent, is 6 percentage points lower than in 2000 but one percentage point higher than in 2001. As the figures indicate, the modest increase in utilization is reflected in three of the duty stations: New York, Geneva and Vienna. The drop in utilization in New York from 2000 to 2001 was due solely to the increase in time lost from late starts and early endings, the cancellation rate having remained the same. While the cancellation rate increased in 2002, the utilization factor overall improved because of a significant improvement in New York in time lost owing to late starts and early endings.

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